

#### Headquarters Ninth Air Force

Shaw AFB, South Carolina

- Produced Flying Hour Program study and briefing delivered to Air Combat Command (ACC) leadershipcritical to Ninth Air Force and Combat Air Force readiness
- Staffed newly created numbered Air Force from bottom up. Filled assigned positions from one assigned to staff of 58 personnel
- Led reorganization to consolidate ACC Joint Terminal Attack Controllers under Ninth Air Force, encompasses over 60 % of ground control airmen.
- Changed formal OV evaluation process from 5 tier to "Pass/Fail." Implemented in ACC to reduce units workload.
- Conducted over 40 formal and staff assistance visits since activation of Ninth Air Force.
- Headquarters center for maintaining high level of proficiency in 5 separate weapons systems.
- Led ACC/CC On-Board Oxygen Generation System/ physiological, critical to operation of F-22 weapon system
- Performed 15 base pre-inspection visits for ACC inspection preparation. Grades reflect impact..."15 for 15 successful ACC inspections"

#### VISION

Focusing the combat / agile support capabilities of all Ninth Air Force units on the current fight, while preparing our Airmen for the dynamic requirements of air, space, and cyberspace of the future.

#### **MISSION**

Organizes, Trains, & Equips Ninth Air Force Airmen to meet the demands of today's expeditionary taskings while preparing for tomorrow's challenges





# Preparing the Force... Then...Now...Always



#### LINEAGE OF NINTH AIR FORCE

Established: Ninth Air Force on 4 Aug 2009

Activated: 5 Aug 2009

Major Components: Wings: 1 Fighter: 5 Aug 2009-; 4 Fighter: 5 Aug 2009-; 20 Fighter: 5 Aug 2009-; 23 Wing: 5 Aug 2009-; 33 Fighter: 5 Aug-30 Sep 2009; 93 Air Ground Operations: 5 Aug 2009-; 116 Air Control, AD Element: 1 Oct 2009-30 Sep 2011; 461 Air Control: 1 Oct 2011-; 633 Air Base: 7 Jan 2010-; Squadrons: 819 RED HORSE: 1 Oct 2009-:

823 RED HORSE: 5 Aug 2009-;

Operations: As a Numbered Air Force, we are the largest single provider of active duty AF combat fighters in the United States and combat search and rescue aircraft in the entire Air Force. We are the only Numbered Air Force focused solely on <u>organizing, training and equipping</u> as our primary mission. The headquarters assumed the stateside mission of USAFCENT, along with control of its assigned CONUS wings and direct Reporting units. Ninth Air Force is responsible for the oversight, readiness, training, and combat preparedness of its assigned units and personnel. The emblem of Ninth Air Force is separate and distinct from the historic emblem retained by USAFCENT. The two headquarters are separate, with no organizational relationship.



HEADQUARTERS

# NINTH AIR FORCE

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

THANK YOU
FOR ENSURING OUR
SUCCESS

MAJ GEN LAWRENCE L. WELLS
COMMANDER

CMSGT ROBERT D. BROOKS COMMAND CHIEF

As of Mar 12









## 23d Wing (WG) Moody AFB, Georgia

The 23 WG operates with an organization consisting of 571 officers, 4525 enlisted and 437 civilian personnel. Aircraft – 46 A-10C Thunderbolt IIs, 16 HC-130P Combat Kings, and 37 HH-60G Pave Hawks. In 2011 flew 16,700 sorties & 8,900 deployed sorties.

- 1000+ personnel deployed in support of Operations ENDURING FREEDOM/NEW DAWN/UNIFIED
- 5,700 combat sorties; supported 2,670 Joint Tactical Air requests, 820 troops-in-contact situations; 196,000 rounds of 30 mm & 520 bombs
- 4,208 combat rescue sorties; 1,014 saves/1,191assts

## 1st Fighter Wing (FW)

Joint Base Langley-Eustis (JBLE), Virginia The 1 FW operates with an organization consisting of 105 officers, 1263 enlisted and 56 civilian personnel. Aircraft – 42 F-22A Raptors. In 2011 the wing flew 4,100 total sorties and 150 deployed sorties.

- Three 2011 ACC Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards (1 MXG, 27 FS, 94 FS)
- First ever USAF F-22 Phase 1 Operational Readiness Inspection (ORI), best employment rating among ACC's 10 Fighter Wings/Bomber Wings

#### 4th Fighter Wing

Seymour Johnson AFB, North Carolina

The 4 FW operates with an organization consisting of 467 officers, 3905 enlisted and 373 civilian personnel. Aircraft – 94 F-15E Strike Eagles. In 2011 the wing flew 15,150 total sorties and 3,020 deployed sorties.

- Generated, deployed and redeployed 73 jets in 96 hours during Hurricane Irene evacuation
- Graduated 146 students from F-15E flight training
- 335th Expeditionary Fighter Squadron (EFS) F-15Es along with F-16s from 121 EFS dropped 9,000 lbs of munitions, during a single tasking, on enemy forces trying to overrun a combat outpost, 70 Taliban killed

## 20th Fighter Wing Shaw AFB, South Carolina

The 20 FW operates with an organization consisting of 302 officers, 3647 enlisted and 532 civilian personnel. Aircraft – 85 F-16CJ Fighting Falcons. In 2011 the wing flew 10,850 total sorties and 1,360 deployed sorties.

- Lead USAF fighter force for Operation Unified Protector (Libya) - over 850 sorties, 6.8K hours and delivered over 800 precision guided weapons
- Flew last USAF combat sortie in Iraqi airspace
- 99.1% compliance rate during 2011 Unit Compliance Inspection - Best ACC FW in 11+ years
- 20 FW most heavily tasked USAF Fighter Wing during 2010-2011 In support of Operation Nobel Eagle; transitioned Air Sovereignty Alert mission to McEntire Joint National Guard Base in April 2011

# 93d Air Ground Ops Wing (AGOW) Moody AFB, Georgia

The 93 AGOW operates an organization consisting of 231 officers, 1800 enlisted and 36 civilian personnel.

- Air power integration experts; provides Combatant Commanders with highly trained forces capable of employing air power in close coordination with Joint partners
- Provide rapidly deployable battlefield weather and air base defense, worldwide--Defend, Attack, Defeat!

## **461st Air Control Wing (ACW)**

Warner Robins AFB, Georgia

As an active associate wing to the 116 ACW, the 461 ACW operates with an organization consisting of 400 officers, 930 enlisted and 53 civilian personnel. Aircraft – 17 E-8C Joint STARS. In 2011 the wing flew 1,620 total sorties and 1000 deployed sorties.

- Successful transition from 'blended' wing to stand up of Active Association
- Phase I ORI EXCELLENT, ACC IG Team Chief "Best heavy wing I have inspected"



## 633d Air Base Wing (ABW) JBLE, Virginia

The 633 ABW operates an organization consisting of 313 officers, 2090 enlisted and 1035 civilian personnel.

- Winner, Eulberg Award, Outstanding AF Civil Engineering (CE) Asset Management Flight, and AF Outstanding CE Civilian Manager of the Year Award.
- Air Force Inspection Agency HSI Team and Joint Commission Surveyors awarded USAF Hospital Langley "Best Practice" and "Excellent" laurels
- JBLE hospital-moved 370 staff/\$6M equipment/OR/4 wards to \$67M Military Construction in less than 36 hours

### 819th/823d RED HORSE Squadrons

Malmstrom AFB, MT & Hurlburt Fld, FL

The 819 RED HORSE Squadron operates with an organization consisting of 12 officers, 378 enlisted, and 2 civilian personnel. The 823 RHS with 17 officers, 503 enlisted, and 1 civilian personnel.

- 819 RHS-Lead unit for 1st Expeditionary RED HORSE Group; completed \$50M in construction, 6 water wells, moved 5.9M lbs of material

- 823 RHS- Locally Funded Troop Training Projects include Moody AFB Explosive Ordnance Disposal warehouse, Joint Base McGuire, Aircraft Arresting

System, and Hurlburt Field sunshade construction

